

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Prior Application: H. TAKANO et al
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Examiner: J. Evans
For: NARROW TRACK THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD AND
FABRICATION METHOD THEREOF

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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October 20, 2003

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above application
as follows.